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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO **NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JANUARY 29, 2007**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 29, 2007 (the "Office Action"), Applicants submit the following:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper; and
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.